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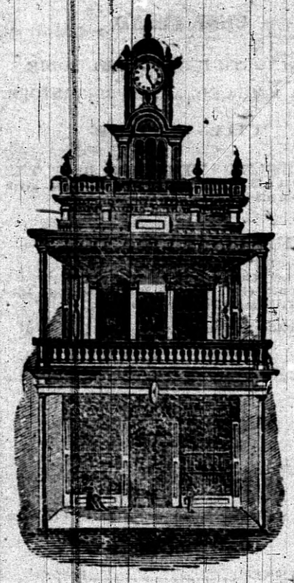

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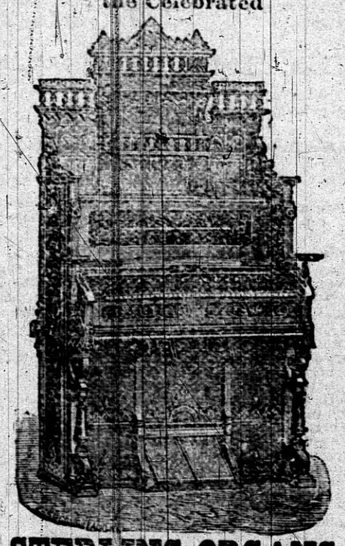

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When the golden gleams of sunlight
Tinge the soft, sweet summer air,
And fall upon the hearts of men,
As the Voice that answers prayer;
As I think of thee, then think of me.

Think of me,
When the shadows of the woodland,
Bathed in music half divine,
Fall as soft as benedictions,
From those tender lips of thine;
As I of thee, then think of me.

Think of me,
When the dews of fearful twilight
Quench the last belated ray,
And the silver streams of moonlight
Trace the triumph of day;
As I think of thee, then think of me.

Think of me,
As at even's dark, deep waters,
Like a falling star, I shoot,
And I measure the motor
In the stern and solemn boat;
Then think of me—then—then, oh, then!

A Feminine Trick.

A feminine trick, very common among foreigners at Rome, Italy, is described as follows: A lady goes to a milliner's and looks over her stock of bonnets. She selects those which she thinks will suit her, and begs the milliner to send them to her the following morning that she may try them on at home and select the one which suits her. The poor milliner consents. At 9 o'clock she sends the bonnets. The lady is not up. Will the "young woman" call again a little later? The "young woman" consents to leave the bonnets until 3 o'clock. What does my lady do then? She takes the bonnet she likes best to a little working milliner in a back shop of a back street, and bids her make one exactly like the model she leaves with her until half-past 2 o'clock, when she takes it back to the grand milliner, saying that she is very sorry, but none of them "suit her."

Neatness in Women.

A woman may be handsome or remarkably attractive in various ways; but, if she is not personally neat, she cannot hope to win admiration. Fine clothes will not conceal the slattern. A young woman with her hair always in disorder and her clothes hanging about her as if suspended from a prop, is always repulsive. Slattern is written on her person from the crown of her head to the soles of her feet, and if she wins a husband, he will turn out, in all probability, either an idle fool or a drunken ruffian. The bringing up of daughters to be able to work, talk and act like honest, sensible young women is the special task of all mothers, and in the industrial ranks there is imposed also the prime obligation of learning to respect household work for its own sake, and the comfort and happiness it will bring in the future. Housework is drudgery, but it must be done by somebody, and had better be well than ill done.

The Plump Beauties of Tunis.

Plumpness such as would be called exuberant in the cold and critical North of Europe constitutes the popular ideal of female beauty in the regency of Tunis. Among marriageable young ladies of that province slenderness of form and delicacy of proportions are regarded with unfeigned aversion as disqualifications for the wedded state. The fatter the maiden, the better is her chance of making a good and early match. To be abnormally obese is to be certain of drawing a prize in the matrimonial market, and the loveliest likeness remains unwooed, while homely corpulence can pick and choose from among a throng of eligible suitors. How deep a root this preinclection for capacious charms has struck in the Tunisian manly bosom may be gathered from the fact that widowers desirous to marry again, should they happy, moved by family or pecuniary considerations, select a bride whose dimensions are reported to fall something short of those to which their previous experiences had accustomed them, are wont to send the "dear departed's" girdle and bracelets to the parents of their ico-exigions betrothed. On receipt of these articles, conveying a delicate hint that it might be expedient to make up for nature's shortcomings by some judicious treatment, the bride's papa and mamma proceed to fatten her with assiduity and dispatch. For some weeks the lends the l to of a Strasbourg goose; and when she has attained the necessary goodly proportions her nuptials are celebrated to the entire satisfaction of everybody concerned in them.—*London Telegraph.*

Fashionable Embroidery.

The present revival of interest in embroidery seems likely to be more permanent than any that has preceded it, because it is now something more than a passing fashion in dress, as was the case in England in 1846, when London alone employed 2,000 pair of hands in decorating every conceivable article of dress worn by ladies of fashion. Now it is her own handiwork, the hours of patient stitching, the choice of materials and colors, and the realization of an artistic thought, that the lady of fashion is proud of, not, as formerly, the money that these cost. She has now a real appreciation of the beauty of her India shawl, with its 700 stitches to the square inch, and other features that make her treasures of old lace so valuable. The mere filling in of worsted-work is superseded by an occupation that requires thought, knowledge, taste and skill; the promised slippers or sofa cushion are no longer so much to be dreaded, and even the afghan, chair back and chaufferied are assuming artistic importance—things that can not only be tolerated for the sake of association, but which we can conscientiously admire and be thankful for. Of course many things are embroidered which should be perfectly plain, if, indeed, as in the case of a valance for a mantel, they should exist at all; but this lack of discrimination is incident to all beginnings, and we may feel certain that the enthusiasm which has carried the mantel valance to completion will lead to a degree of acquirement that will acknowledge its incongruity, and by that time the heat and soot of the fire will have rendered it unsightly enough to be consigned to the attic, among the useless accumulations of the past.—*A. F. Oakey, in Harper's Magazine.*

The Rothschild Family of Millionaires.

The Rothschilds have been attracting no little attention to themselves in Paris by the announcement of the extension of the act of partnership to 1905. The Paris branch of the famous family is quite large. The dowager Baroness Rothschild, who lives in the family mansions in the Rue Lafite, had five children—Baroness Alphonse, who is at this date at the head of the family; Baron Solomon, who died a long time ago; Baron Gustave, Baron Edmond, and the Baroness Nathaniel Rothschild. The venerable dowager is a veritable fountain of charity. She gives away hundreds of thousands of francs every year. In the summer she lives in a splendid house at Boulogne, where apartments of each of her sons and daughters are kept constantly in order. Baron and Baroness Alphonse Rothschild live in the old mansion in the Rue St. Florentine, where Talleyrand once resided. They are gay and are extremely fond of society, and are seen everywhere in the monde. The Baroness is one of the most accomplished equestriennes who frequent the Bois de Boulogne. Her husband is an enthusiastic patron of the turf. He has his stables at Meantrif and Chantilly, and lavishes millions on them. Solomon Rothschild was a delicate-minded man, fond of conversation, books, pictures, and society. His widow has a daughter who will, it is said, be the richest heiress in the Paris family. Baron Gustave is the only one who has married outside the family. One of the sons of the late Nathaniel Rothschild has just purchased the splendid mansion of Count Tolstoi, in the Avenue de Friedland; and another named Arthur spent his life in collecting books. It is said that no one else in France except the Duke d'Aumale possesses such inestimable treasures of rare editions and luxurious binding as this young Rothschild. One of the latest additions to the delegates to Paris of this phenomenally rich family is Baron Adolphe Rothschild of Naples, who has closed out his business and retired with the serenity of conscience promoted by the knowledge of the possession of a fortune of 180,000,000 francs. He may be seen now and then in the Bois, lolling negligently in the blue carriage, which is one of the peculiarities of the house. He is a great collector, and will spend hundreds of thousands of francs upon any trifle he happens to consider he must have. There is but one Catholic in the family, and that is the young Duchess of Grammont, who, it will be remembered, was the daughter of Baron Rothschild of Frankfort-on-the-Main, one of the richest members of the group.

Who Buy the Costliest Fabrics.

The simple costume of the Friend, particularly that of the female Friend, is often quoted as the quintessence of neatness and economy, but the truth is that no ladies in the world dress more expensively in proportion to the effect produced than do the wives and daughters of wealthy Quakers. They always select the finest and most costly linens and cloths, and though, with the strict members of the sect, lace and furbelows are eschewed, the price they pay for delicate hemming, stitching and tucking would startle a belle of society. Once I watched a lady Quaker buying some jet buttons, plain ones, of course. She commenced by looking at some which were shown her at 25 cents per dozen, mounted gradually to 50 cents, $1, $1.50, $2, and took those marked at $2.50 per dozen.

One day I was at a private opening of French millinery. The bonnets were $40, $50 and even $80 each. A lady bought three bonnets, one at $80, one at $40 and one at $35. I was told she was the wife of a clergyman, but she had $500,000 in her own right, and was justified in some extravagance in the selection of her bonnets. Oh, happy clergyman, to have won the heart and hand weighted with $500,000! A lace merchant, who once spoke of his business, told me that religious persons were the best patrons of laces. They always wear the most expensive kinds, because the quiet nature of their festivities necessitates all apparel to be of a character which will bear inspection.—*Philadelphia Times.*

A CANADIAN MISER.—The will of Mrs. Barbara Scott, a wretched old woman who inherited several fortunes and increased them by every means which her miserly instincts could devise, has been upheld by the Superior Court in Montreal. McGill University gets $40,000, and various hospitals, churches and charitable institutions receive the rest. For years before her death she lived isolated in the old family mansion in the suburbs of the city, until the dirt and filth became so intolerable that the Board of Health was forced to interfere. She refused even to employ a female domestic, but allowed an old man to visit the house daily to do the chores. She died without an attendant, and when the executors took possession, thousands of dollars were found rolled up in scraps of old paper. Not the least remnant of food was discovered in the house, and the doctors thought she starved herself to death. The relatives, who were practically ignored, tried to break the will on the ground of insanity, but the Court held that the testatrix was of disposing mind though eccentric.

It is one of the severest tests of friendship to tell your friend of his faults. If you are angry with a man or hate him, it is not hard to go to him, and stab him with words; but to love a man that you cannot bear to see the stain of sin upon him, and to speak painful truth through loving words, that is friendship. But few have such friends. Our enemies usually teach us what we are at the point of the sword.

German beer is brewed from potatoes

Æsthetics on the Billows.

They were an utter—too utter—crowd, and right back of them sat a big, flat-footed chap, on his way to the lumber camps.

"I think this lake breeze quite too exhilarating for anything," observed a young man who ate dinner with a pair of green kids on.

"I've got something that beats it all holler," chipped in the big man. "They filled the bottle right up for a quarter. I don't want to buck again the saloon on board, but if you say you've got cramps you shall have a pull at it."

If green kids had seen he wouldn't own it, and to cover his embarrassment another of the party with eye-glasses and a white neck-tie remarked:

"Roll on, thou troubled waters, roll."

"Oh, you'll git roll enough before you git 'across Saginaw bay," replied the big man. "Time this breeze has been blowing an hour you'll feel like an old dish-rag hung up to scare the crows away."

White neck-tie gave him a killing stare, but it glanced off, and one of the ladies said:

"He struggled bravely with the stormlashed sea."

"Who was that, ma'am? P'raps you mean my old pard. Yes, he struggled gravely, and if this dum lake wasn't just a-bilin' then I don't want a cent. Jim was a good swimmer, but he had to cave at last."

The whole group gave him a looking over, but he was shot-proof, and, turning to Green Kids, he asked:

"Think you could save yourself if this boat went down?"

No answer.

"Yer possibly might," continued the man. "I went down off that p'int above as about ten years ago and got through it, but it was a powerful tight squeak. If I'd had on one o' them shirts as button behind I'd bin a goner. What's the style o' yours, my son?"

They rose up as one, locked arms and passed into the cabin, and the big man looked after them and whistled.

"Maybe they hain't used to traveling fust-class and being polite to strangers! But I'll forgive 'em. Lands! but won't the starch begin to peel off as soon as we slide around the p'int and git to feel the sea! Yum! yum! But it will be too enthusiastically billowy for anything!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

LILLIAN AND HER LOVER.

Two Americans—one a gentleman, the other a lady—have for some time been creating something of a sensation in Europe. The lady is Miss Lillian Norton, the gentleman is Mr. Frederick L. Gower, and both are natives of Maine. Miss Norton is a most beautiful singer, and is said to be the favorite soprano of Paris, and her triumphs at St. Petersburg have been seldom equaled. She has been lined by the Czar and the royal family, and what is more pleasing to her, perhaps, is now under a three years' engagement at Paris at a salary of $12,000 a year. She was born at Farmington, Me., and is now 24 years old. She is the granddaughter of the well known "canal meeting John Allen." When she was seven years old her parents moved to Boston, where she began her musical education at the Conservatory when about 17. She remained there three years and then went to Milan. Upon completing her course there she was engaged by the Grand Opera House at St. Petersburg, receiving $1000 for the season. Her singing created something of a furore, and the next season her salary was raised to $2000. Frederick L. Gower was born at Sedgwick, Me., and distinguished, not for what talents he displayed when a boy, but for a fortune of $1,500,000 he has made out of telephone stock, and he is only thirty years old. He was left fatherless when two years old, and he and his brother were educated by Mr. W. H. Abbott of Farmington, Me., whom he has handsomely rewarded for his kindness to him. He has also provided for his mother a $25,000 house, with accompanying comforts. To shorten a long story Miss Norton and Mr. Gower are engaged to be married, and as a guarantee that he meant business, Mr. Gower put a $1000 ring on Miss Norton's finger. They will be married before long; but as Miss Norton declares that she will not return to America until her contract to sing three years in Paris has expired, the announcement cannot be regarded as a modern prima donna advertisement.

The *Grange Visitor* thinks, all things considered, there is no way of keeping apples quite so good and practicable as packing in tight barrels and storing in cool cellars; the barrel forms a room and prevents circulation of air and consequent drying and shrinking of the fruit, and also lessens the changes of temperature, and besides more fruit can be packed and stored in a given space than in any other way. The poorest of ways is in a large open bin, and the objections are, too much fruit in contact, too much weight upon the lower fruit, and too much trouble to handle and sort when desirable to market.

Gunmaking is one of the foremost industries in Syracuse, N. Y. The sales of guns manufactured there during the past year are said to have been $200,000, based on a capital of only $95,000.

The value of printer's ink has long been appreciated by persistent advertisers, but not until lately has it been discovered that it is better than a policeman. A thief entered the office of a Michigan paper, fell head first into a barrel of ink, and was held until he was black in the face.

THE CHRONICLE.

BRIDGEPORT, MARCH 17, 1883.

SAN FRANCISCO AGENCY.—L. P. Fisher, 21 Merchants' Exchange, is our Agent, and is authorized to contract for advertising, receive subscriptions and make collections on our account.

THIS PAPER may be found on file at Geo. P. Rowell & Co's Newspaper Advertising Bureau (10 Spruce St.), where advertising contracts may be made for it in NEW YORK.

THE OVERLAND MONTHLY.—The March number of this magazine is at hand, and is one of the best numbers of the new volume. Its contents are: Our West; King Cophetua's Wife; When My Ship Came In; The Winged Phylloxera in California; Plato; Literary Contentment; Mamma Phillis; On Certain Characteristics of Oriental Thought; Afoot up Eel River; Annetta—IV, V.; Beauty; Oxford University, and the Humanist Movement of 1498; Consolation; That Ranch of His; To-morrow; Mountaineering in Oregon; One of our Tourists; A Festival of Labor; Wagner; Correspondence—The Study of Short-hand; Current Comment; Book Reviews; East and West; Outcroppings.

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The accounts given in the papers concerning the burial of McGloin, the murderer, and Elliott, the prize-fighter, in Calvary Cemetery, New York, seem to have excited the indignation of the Catholics, who appear to look upon the interment of bodies of murderers in a cemetery as a desecration. The fact is that the bodies of murderers should be given to medical institutes.

The Methodists of Miles City, M. T., believe in fighting sin with the devil's dollars, and contribution boxes are placed in all the saloons. The Press says: "The contribution box at the Keg saloon is now filled with hard cash, and unless another one is placed on its counter the Methodist Society will lose a great many quarters."

Henry Slieton, of Los Angeles, died last week of supposed pyæmia. He had a tooth extracted, the cavity was probed and a strong liquid introduced to prevent further pain. Shortly he was taken sick and died the same evening, the body turning black and semiputrid. The theory is that the liquid poisoned the blood.

In reply to a correspondent, the Secretary of the Treasury says that trade dollars are neither redeemable nor exchangeable for standard dollars, and that the only way trade dollars can be disposed of, except in trade, is through the U. S. Mint, Philadelphia, where they will be purchased at bullion value.

The ladies of the Baptist Society at Santa Barbara gave a lunch sociable on Thursday evening, March 8th. Each lady provided a lunch for two persons, and with it her name in an envelope, and became the partner in lunch with the gentleman who purchased the same.

Governor Stoneman has pardoned Andrew Johnson, who in 1880 was sentenced in San Francisco to the State Prison for 10 years for burglary, a crime of which it appears he was innocent, having been the work of two desperate criminals who are in the State Prison.

The sunset route being the favorite, the competing lines purpose making faster time with freight by making the trip in thirteen days—six to Omaha, and thence seven to San Francisco.

Within six weeks the revenue steamer Corwin will leave San Francisco for the Arctic Ocean with articles of reward for the Tchouches Indians, who assisted the crew of the burned U. S. steamer Rodgers.

While playing a game of cards with her husband last Tuesday evening, Mrs. Julia Legue, of Forbestown, Butte county, died suddenly of heart disease.

On Sunday last, at Bridgeton, N. J., Lucius Q. C. Elmer, L. D. D., died at the age of 91 years. He was the son of General Ebenezer Elmer of Revolutionary fame.

On Monday last John Wolfling died suddenly at Sonora, supposed to have choked while asleep.

The East River Bridge will be opened within sixty days. A grand celebration is contemplated.

The late Mrs. Mary Austin, of Washington, Georgia, was the mother of forty-four children. Six times she had three at once.

The Duke of Cambridge promises the American rifle team a hearty welcome at Wimbledon.

More than 20,000 people viewed the remains of Alexander H. Stephens in the Senate chamber.

Ex-Sheriff John S. Haines, of San Joaquin county, and a Pioneer, died at Stockton on Tuesday.

E. N Carvalho, turf editor of the Turf, Field and Farm, died at New York on the 13th inst.

The Rhode Island Independents have nominated William Sprague for Governor.

On Tuesday last the United States had $357,678,736 in its Treasury

New York and Cleveland were connected by telephone on Monday last.

THE END.

The Wiggin impeachment case came to an end on Saturday last through Judge Wiggin tendering to Governor Stoneman his resignation as one of the Superior Judges of this county, and the withdrawal, by Assemblyman Campbell, of the charges preferred against him. In view of a vacancy occurring in the judgeship held by Judge Wiggin, the Act abolishing the law that foisted upon the people of this county an additional Judge, was amended to take effect immediately and passed, thus leaving Mono entitled to but one Judge of the Superior Court. Much as we may regret the circumstances attending the sudden abolishment of the office, the people of this county feel thankful that the county is saved the expense of supporting a judicial officer they have no use for. The law giving us this official luxury has cost this county over $10,000, a sum that would have been sufficient to build a good county jail and substantial fence around the Court House. Now that the office has been abolished we trust there will be no attempt to revive it.

In the retirement of Judge Wiggin we can truly say that our people regret the causes that impelled it. While presiding in his Department he was courteous to all, and was watchful of the rights of jurymen and witnesses, always nipping in the bud any attempt at bulldozing or intimidation. He was prompt in his rulings, and his decisions gave general satisfaction.

On a Sunday lately in all the churches of Winnipeg and along the line of the Canadian Pacific Pacific Railroad, sermons were preached censuring the Canadian Pacific Company for running trains on Sundays, and urged the necessity of securing legislation to prevent it. Rev. Mr. Fortin said: "Better ride to heaven in a Red River ox cart than go to hell in a palace sleeper." A road that tied it trains on Sundays would soon be sold by the Sheriff. Hell has no terrors as between an ox cart and a palace sleeper. Sermons like the above drive intelligent men from churches and make religion a by-word.

The Secretary of the Interior has decided that the inclosure of a large body of public land does not prevent a homestead or preemption entry from being made within such inclosure by another party.

MUSICAL WORLD.—The March number of the Musical World, published by S. Brainard's Sons, Chicago, contains two new songs and two instrumental pieces, besides a fund of interesting reading matter.

Recent tests of yarns made from hemps show the following strengths: Manila, 245; Italian, 221; New Zealand, 143; Russian, 128.

The number of deaths in the city of New York in 1882 was 37,951.

NEW TO-DAY.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

EAST WALKER RIVER TOLL ROAD COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, Bridgeport, Mono County, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Directors, held on the 12th day of March, A. D. 1883, an assessment of One and 75-100 dollar per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, on Main street, Bridgeport, Mono County, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Saturday, the 14th day of April, A. D. 1883, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction; and unless payment is made before, will be sold on TUESDAY, MAY 1st, 1883, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

D. JEFFREYS, Secretary.

OFFICE—Main street, Bridgeport, Mono County, California. mh17-td

Occidental Hotel,

MAIN STREET,

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WM. STEWART.....Proprietor
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THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL HAS PASSED into the hands of the undersigned, and having been thoroughly renovated, overhauled and refurnished throughout, regardless of expense, makes it superior to any hotel in Bodie.

THE TABLE

Will be supplied with the very best the market affords. None but the most courteous and obliging waiters employed.

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Parties can do no better than register at the Occidental.

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Board per Week.....$8 00
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The TABLE is furnished with the best in market.

At the BAR can be had the BEST of all to be found in a well-stocked bar.

f19-tf M. SCHAFER.

LEGAL.

No. 271.
Application to Purchase Timber Land

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Bodie, Cal., March 6th, 1883.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT whereas Dean W. Wording, a citizen of the United States, over the age of twenty-one years, has made application under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and in Washington Territory," approved June 3, 1878, to purchase at this office

The W. ½ of S. E. ¼ and S. E. ¼ of S. W. ¼ of Section 21; and N. E. ¼ of N. W. ¼ of Section 28, Township 7, North Range 23 East, M. D. M., containing 160 acres.

Claiming said land to be valuable chiefly for its timber. And the said applicant having made and filed in this office the affidavit as to the character of said land as required by said Act.

Now therefore, any and all persons claiming said above described land, or any part thereof adversely to the claim of the applicant thereto are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office, at Bodie, State of California, during the sixty days publication hereof, or they will be barred by the virtue of the provisions of said Act.

Final payment must be made within ninety days from date of this notice.

JAMES E. GOODALL, Register.

First publication March 10, 1883. m10-10w

No. 269.
Application to Purchase Timber Land.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Bodie, Cal., Feb. 10, 1883.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT whereas Warran H. Dennis, a citizen of the United States, over the age of twenty-one years, has made application under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and in Washington Territory," approved June 3, 1878, to purchase at this office

Lot No. 3 and Lot No. 7, in the S. E. ¼ of N. E. ¼ of Section 19, Township 7, North Range 25 East, M. D. M. containing 40 acres.

Claiming said land to be valuable chiefly for its timber. And the said applicant having made and filed in this office the affidavit as to the character of said land as required by said Act.

Now, therefore, any and all persons claiming said above described land, or any part thereof adversely to the claim of the applicant thereto are required to file their adverse claims with the Register of the United States Land Office, at Bodie, State of California, during the sixty days publication hereof, or they will be barred by the virtue of the provisions of said Act.

Final payment must be made in 90 days from date of publication, Feb. 17, 1883.

117-10w JAMES E. GOODALL, Register.

SUMMONS.

IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT OF HOMER Township, of the County of Mono, State of California.

ALEXANDER ROSENWALD, LAZARD COBLENTZ and ISAAC RAHN, doing business under the firm-name and style of Rosenwald, Cobientz & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. THE SILVER GROUP MINING COMPANY, a Company organized under the laws of the State of Illinois, and doing business in Homer Township, Mono County, California, the Agents being W. Bevans, F. W. Pike et al., Defendants.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to

The Silver Group Mining Company, W. Bevens and F. W. Pike et al., Agents, Defendants

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiffs in the Justice's Court of Homer Township, County of Mono, State of California, and to answer before the Justice at his office in the said Township, the complaint filed therein, within five days (exclusive of the day of service), after the service on you of this summons—if served within the Township in which this action is brought; or, if served out of said Township, but in said County, within ten days; or within twenty days if served elsewhere.

The said action is brought to recover the sum of Two Hundred and fifty-nine 77-100 dollars due from you to plaintiffs for goods, wares and merchandise sold and delivered to you the defendants, at your special instance and request, as will more fully appear by a statement had on file in this office, a copy of which is hereto annexed; all of which were sold and delivered by plaintiffs to defendants in the town of Bandy, Homer Township, Mono County, State of California, within two years last past.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said Plaintiffs will take judgment against you for $259 77, together with costs of suit.

Make legal service and due return hereof.

Given under my hand this 10th day of October, 1882.

W. A. WILCOX,
Justice of the Peace.

Ja27-3m LAZARD COBLENTZ Plaintiffs' Attorney.

Assignee's Notice of Appointment.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Mono, State of California.

In the matter of JESSE N. SUMMERS, an Insolvent Debtor.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The undersigned, George B. Day, hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of the Estate of Jesse N. Summers, an Insolvent Debtor, of Bridgeport, in the said County of Mono, in the State of California, and who was, to wit: on the 24th day of December, 1882, adjudged an Insolvent Debtor upon the petition of himself, by order of the Superior Court of the said County of Mono, State of California.

Dated at Bridgeport, Cal., the 1st day of February, 1883.

GEORGE B. DAY, Assignee.

T. W. W. DAVIES, Solicitor for Assignee. f3

Notice of Intention to Become Sole Trader.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of MAHULDA SUMMERS to become Sole Trader.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Mahulda Summers, wife of Jesse N. Summers, residents of the town of Bridgeport, Mono county, State of California, being desirous of availing myself of the provisions of Title XII, Part III, of the Code of Civil Procedure, intend to make application to the Superior Court of the County of Mono, State of California, on Saturday, the 31st day of March, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, or on such other day to which the hearing may be postponed by the Court, for a judgment and order of said Superior Court authorizing me to carry on and transact business in my own name and on my own account as Sole Trader. The nature of the business I propose to carry on and conduct is the stock business, buying and selling sheep, cattle, horses, and other live stock, and in the grazing business; also the real estate business, buying and selling real property. The place where the business hereinabove proposed to be conducted will be carried on, is Bridgeport, Mono county, California.

Dated the 3d day of March, 1883.

ma3-4w MAHULDA SUMMERS.

Homestead.

LAND OFFICE AT BODIE CAL.,
Feb. 21st, 1883.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz: On S. Cleary, the 2d day of April, 1883, before the Register and Receiver of the Land office, at Bodie, California. John D. Dawson; for the

Lots Nos. 12 and 13, in Sec. 33, Township 7, N. R. 25 E, M. D. M.,

And names the following as his witnesses, viz: Sidney Huntoon, David Hays Wm. burns, and Jesse N. Summers, of Mono County, Cal.

f24-5w JAMES E. GOODALL, Register.

ADVERTISE

IN THE

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LEGAL.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Supervisors of Mono County, on the 7th day of February, 1883, adopted the following Resolutions and Orders to wit:

It is Ordered by Resolved that the old cemetery, situated between Kirkwood and School streets, and Main and Bryant streets, Bridgeport, heretofore used as a burying ground, be, and the same is hereby declared a nuisance, and prejudicial to the health of the inhabitants of Bridgeport, and it is hereby ordered in accordance with the above resolution, that all bodies buried therein be removed by the relatives of those buried therein to the new cemetery, situate on the bench near the mouth of the old Aurora Road Canyon, on the north side of the Geiger Grade road; or such place as may be chosen outside of the Borough limits, within one year from the date of the publication of this resolution and order. And it is further ordered, that any bodies not removed to said new cemetery within said time be removed at the expense of said relatives, and that all other bodies buried therein be removed from said old cemetery to said new cemetery at county expense. All persons not able, pecuniarily, to remove the bodies of their friends and relatives are to report to the Clerk of this Board, and said bodies will be removed at the expense of the county.

First publication, March 10th; 1883. Limit, March 10th, 1884.

mh10-1m BEN. H. MILLER, Clerk of Board of Supervisors.

To All whom it may Concern:

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE UNDERSIGNed will, on the 2d day of April, 1883, make application to the Board of Supervisors of Mono county, California, for authority to take, for the purpose of maintaining a toll road, that portion of the public highway known as the Sonora and Mono Road, commencing at about three miles northwest of Bridgeport on said Sonora and Mono Road; thence following the surveyed line of the said Sonora and Mono Road and passing by the Hot Springs Hotel and Leavitt's Station to a point where the said Sonora and Mono Road intersects the dividing line between Tuolumne and Mono counties; the undersigned to keep and maintain the proposed toll road in the same character and condition as the said Sonora and Mono Road was maintained under the theretofore existing franchise.

H. C. SCHULZ.

Sonora, Feb. 7th, 1883. f10-5w

Notice to Co-Owner.

TO D. S. HUBBLE, YOU ARE HEREBY notified that I have expended the sum of one hundred dollars ($100) each in labor and improvements upon the Mono Chief, Indian Chief, and Platts mining claims or lodes, lying and being in Patterson Mining District, Mono County, State of California, in order to hold said premises under the provisions of Section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, being the amount required to hold the same for the year ending December 31st, 1882, and if within ninety days from the first day of publication of this notice you fail or refuse to contribute your proportion of such expenditure as coowner, to wit: the sum of fifty dollars ($50) each, together with your proportion of the cost of this advertisement, your interest in said claims will become the property of the subscriber under said Section 2324.

OLE ANDERSON.

Clinton, Jan 10, 1883. j13-90d

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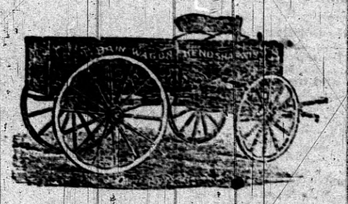

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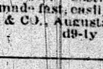

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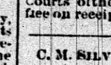

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BRIDGEPORT, MARCH 17, 1883.

JOB PRINTING.—Job printing of the finest description will be furnished at this office at Sacramento prices.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

YE PARK SAFE IN JAIL.—Ye Park, the Chinaman who recently escaped from custody through the burning of our jail, is again safe in his old quarters, having been returned by Sheriff McKinney at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. Sheriff McKinney arrived at Carson at 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon last and found Ye Park in custody of Sheriff Swift, of Ormsby county, Nev. Ye Park had been in Carson but a few days when he was recaptured, and was preparing to leave Carson within a day or two. To disguise himself as much as possible he tried to burn off the mole on his cheek, and when arrested was sporting as finely a gotten up false cue as the dandiest Celestial would wish to display, and which is now in possession of Sheriff McKinney. As soon as it was known that the "Bad man from Bodie" was in custody, Carson's pettifogging lawyers commenced swarming, their pockets filled with writs of "hocus pocus" to sling at the officers in case Ye Park's friends should "see" them, but the gigantic proportions of Sheriff McKinney stood them off until a requisition from Governor Stoneman arrived, when the runaway was given up to Sheriff McKinney, who left Carson with his prisoner at 11 o'clock on Thursday morning, arriving at our jail at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. Ye Park is very reticent, and doubtless anticipates a long residence at San Quentin, as he awaits a sentence on a conviction for an assault to murder, and will be sent up for an additional term for breaking jail, and should he be tried and convicted on a charge of arson in firing the jail, he will get an additional dividend of San Quentin fare. He is securely confined in the iron cell, and will be kept safely until lodged in the State Prison. Sheriff McKinney speaks in the highest terms of Sheriff Swift, of Carson, for the assistance rendered him in securing his man.

SCHOOL MONEYS.—Miss Angell, Superintendent of Schools, has apportioned the School moneys—$3,796 32 from State and $1,633 59 from county, as follows:

	School.	Library
Bodie	$3,061 72	38 31
Bridgeport	99 81	38 31
Benton	235 52	38 31
Antelope	372 99	38 31
North Antelope	295 52	38 31
South Antelope	187 38	38 31
Lundy	2 5 89	38 31

SURPRISE PARTY.—A quasi-surprise party took place last evening in compliment to Myron Waltze and wife at their ranch. A large number of our people attended, over thirty couple being present, and a splendid time was the result. The ladies had prepared a fine repast, Porter's Band furnished the music, and dancing was indulged in till daylight this morning.

FALES' HOT SPRINGS.—Sam. Fales is at work on additions and improvements calculated to add to the pleasures and conveniencies of guests at the Hot Springs the coming Summer. This place is the favorite summer resort for the people of this county, and Sam intends to keep up with the times.

PAY YOUR TAXES.—The tax sales will be postponed from day to day until Wednesday next, when the sale will close. Those who have not paid their taxes had better do so at once, as suits will be commenced on Thursday against all who neglect to pay up by the time the sale closes. Pay at once and save heavy costs.

TOLLS REDUCED.—The tolls on the Big Meadows and Bodie Toll Road have been reduced to fifty cents on buggies. This is reasonable, and no one should object to so fair a charge for passing over so good a mountain road.

A NEW MILL.—It is rumored that a New York company propose erecting a quartz mill in the Patterson District, on a claim recently purchased by it.

PARDONED.—Governor Stoneman has pardoned James G. Holland, confined in the county jail for the past four months for giving liquors to Indians.

PERSONAL.—Paul W. Bennett arrived from Carson yesterday.

A. H. Allen has this week been quite sick from pleurisy, but to-day he is better.

RESIGNED.—Marcus P. Wiggin, Judge of the Superior Court, Department No. 2, of Mono county, has resigned, and the Act creating the office has been repealed.

SUPERIOR COURT.—The Superior Court will open on the 25th inst., provided Judge Briggs will be able to journey from Jackson.

THE OCCIDENTAL.—Under New To-Day will be found the advertisement of the Occidental, one of the most popular and best hotels in Bodie.

TOLL HOUSE.—The Big Meadows and Bodie Toll House has been located at Mormon Station, where the tolls are collected.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. J. H. De la Matyr, of Bodie, will hold service at the Schoolhouse to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

ON DIT.—That R. S. Miner is likely to be recommended by the Bar for Superior Judge Briggs to appoint to try cases.

RAIN.—On Tuesday we had a slight fall of rain, accompanied with thunder.

A NICE HARNESS.—A. C. Raymond, the popular harness maker of Bodie, has been fitting a new harness on the team of the Folger Brothers, of Bridgeport. In quality of material and superior style of workmanship this harness is unsurpassed anywhere; and is certainly a great credit to the manufacturer. It is very well for the public to understand that just as good harness making and saddle work can be done in Bodie as in the larger cities; and A. C. Raymond allows no other house to excel his in the style, quality, and beauty of the articles furnished. We suppose now that we never will never get another invitation to ride with Uncle Bob. So says the Bodie Miner. To purify the moral atmosphere of Bodie, and for sanitary precaution, we invite Brother Orlando to ride with us to Sam Fale's Hot Springs, where he can take his triennial bath. Jennie would be as glad to haul—for that purpose, our distinguished friend, as she is proud of her new dress. This invitation is conditional that Orlando stops throwing mud at Henry Z. and Benjamin H., and the "rest of mankind."

Mining Transfers.

The following deeds have been recorded in the County Recorder's office:

M. Grijalva to S. W. Lasky, 200 feet of Portila and Minna, Pinte.

J. Pothast et al. to A. Kilpatrick et al., Solid Iron and Iron Monarch, Indian.

Transfers of Real Estate.

The following deeds have been recorded in the County Recorder's office:

W. Grogan to A. Seiler, lot 1, block 18, Bodie.

S. B. Smith and wife to Louis Sammann, portion of lot 1, block 28, Bodie.

North Noonday, Noonday and Red Cloud Con. Company, Insolvent, to Irwin C. Stump, Assignee; all property of said Company.

Maurice P. Hays to Peter Anderson, lot near old Court House, Bridgeport.

James Compston to F. F. Hatfield, lot in Clinton.

Emma M. Midgley to Nellie N. Midgley, lot on Mill street, Bodie.

MANDAMUS.—As it is an open question as to the power of the Legislature to repeal the Act creating an additional Judge for Mono county, to take effect immediately, it is intimated that a mandamus will probably be served to compel Governor Stoneman to appoint a Judge, providing the taking effect is unconstitutional.

ASSESSMENTS.—The following assessments have been levied:

East Walker Toll Road Company, $1 75 per share; delinquent, April 14th; sale, May 1st.

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REMOVED.—The removal of bodies from the old to the new cemetery commenced on Wednesday last by Lynch and Donnel removing the remains of Mr. Wedertz. It is evident that this is a proper time for that purpose.

SECRETS OF NEWSPAPER MEN.—There is probably no newspaper man of experience in the country who does not hold secrets of importance in his mind, which, if made public, would create a sensation, but would stamp him as being unreliable, and consequently unfit for his profession. The great race for precedence in the publication of news impels him to do his utmost to outstrip his contemporaries, but a higher feeling, a dictate of honor, keeps secret the trust reposed. Frequently a person would like to know the authorship of certain matters published, and whether his efforts are directed to "pumping" the managing editor or the galley boy, they are alike fruitless. Every compositor on a paper, as a rule, knows the handwriting he sets up, but if any other person think they can learn it from him—well, let them try it.

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A New Field for Women.

The most money-making women are the teachers of dancing; there is no occupation for a lady which is so remunerative. It is withal, refined in its associations, and is perfectly legitimate and becoming profession. The old and famous race of dancing masters is dying off, and the day is dawning when woman will hold this occupation as her right. As an illustration of the success to be achieved in teaching dancing as a branch of polite education we have four lady teachers in Buffalo whose schools take in nearly all the small towns in the vicinity of this city, even extending as far as Rochester, where there are two distinct classes managed by ladies from Buffalo, whose annual gains are the envy of their less fortunate sisters, who plod along as school teachers, decorative artists or governesses.—*Buffalo Courier.*

From the inquiries conducted by Pro. Hermann Cohn, of Breslau, in some sixteen years past, he ventures the assertion that short-sightedness is rare or never born with those subject to it and almost always is the result of strain sustained by the eye during study in early youth. Myopia, as this ailment is called, is said to be of rare occurrence among pupils of rural or village schools its frequency increasing in proportion to the demands made upon the eye, as in higher schools and colleges. A better construction of school desks, an improved typography of text-books, and a sufficient lighting of class-rooms are among the remedies proposed for abating the malady.

USEFULNESS AND HURTFULNESS OF COFFEE.

Since coffee possesses the quality of stimulating, the nervous system, it is a matter of course that in many cases its effect is rather injurious. Phlegmatic people, especially, need coffee, and they are fond of drinking it; for a similar reason it is a favorite beverage in the Orient, where its consumption is immense. But to persons of an excitable temperament the enjoyment of coffee is hurtful; they ought only to take it very weak. With lively children it does not agree at all, and it is very wrong to force them to drink it, as is often done; while elderly people, who are in need of a stimulant for the decreasing activity of their nerves, are right in taking as much of it as they choose.

In households of limited means it is often necessary to use succory with coffee. We do not pretend to pronounce this, if taken in moderate quantity, hurtful; but we do say that it is a poor substitute for coffee, and that there is nothing in it to recommend its use. A far better mixture is milk and sugar; and there is good reason for it; both milk and sugar are articles of food. Milk contains the same ingredients as blood; and sugar is changed in the body into fat, which is indispensable to us, especially in the process of breathing. Having taken no food through the night, the loss our blood has suffered during sleep by perspiration and the fat which has been lost by respiration must be compensated for in the morning. For this milk and sugar in coffee are excellent.

It is good for children to have a taste for sweetened milk or milk-coffee in the morning. We must not find fault with them if they like it. Nature very wisely gave them a liking for sugar; they need it because their pulse must be quicker, their respiration stronger, to facilitate the assimilation of food in their bodies, and also to promote growth. Not that adults need no sugar, but the sugar necessary for them is formed from the starch contained in their food. For this purpose the digestive apparatus must be strongly developed. With children this is not the case; therefore, they are given sugar, instead of the starch to make it from. Many diseases, particularly rickets, prevailing mostly among the children of the poor, are the consequence of feeding the child with bread and potatoes; these contain starch, it is true, but, the digestive apparatus of children being yet too weak to change them into fat, the result is that the flesh falls away and the bones grow soft and crooked.

But he who, to promote digestion, takes coffee immediately after dinner, does best not to use sugar or milk—for both, so far from helping digestion, are an additional burden to the full stomach, and disturb its labor more than coffee can facilitate it.—*Popular Science Monthly.*

Col. Cameron, of Virginia, was, perhaps is now, a teetotaler in principle and practice, and seldom failed to rebuke all those whom he saw departing from his strict rule of life. One day, when dining at a hotel in Richmond, a strange man near him called for a glass of brandy and water. Col. Cameron began immediately to rebuke the man for intemperance. "Sir," said he, "let me warn you in time, I have at this moment a newspaper in my pocket, giving an account of an habitual drunker, who died suddenly, sir; and a post-mortem examination revealed the fact, sir, that his maw was completely eaten through by whisky, sir; completely eaten through, sir, I assure you." "And I," replied the stranger, "also have a newspaper in my pocket, sir, telling of a man who always drank water, like yourself, sir. The man died suddenly; a post-mortem revealed the fact that his maw was full of tadpoles, sir, quite full, I assure you, sir." It is unnecessary to announce that a general burst of laughter followed to the momentary discomfiture of the Colonel.

The bane of the beautiful island of Martinique is a serpent called the "fer-de-lance." This reptile, with venomous taste, chooses the coolest and most delightful places in the garden for his retreat, and it is literally at the risk of one's life to lie down on the grass, or even to take a rest in an arbor. The wounds inflicted by these serpents are very apt to be fatal unless immediately cared for. The whole island is infested with this dangerous reptile, and it is said that on an average nearly 800 persons are bitten every year, of which number from sixty to seventy cases prove fatal, while many others result in nervous diseases which are almost as bad as death. A few years ago, when Prince Arthur of England visited this island, a grand fete was given in his honor in the Jardin des Plantes. In the evening the grounds were brilliantly illuminated, and thousands of people sauntered through its cool and shady avenues. A large number were bitten by the "fer-de-lance," and many of them never recovered from the effects of the poison. The fondness of this terrible reptile for cool and shady places is a serious drawback on the pleasure of rambling through the charming groves of Martinique. A rest on the grass under the shadow of some spreading tree is always haunted by the dread of unwelcome lodgers, and one cannot even cross a field without exercising extreme caution.

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"We can't do it, Colonel. Your rival is our personal friend. He is a subscriber."

"Pshaw! I thought you were running an independent paper in the interest of the people, but I see you are the subsidized organ of a political clique," and off he went to see the editor of the other paper.—*Texas Siftings.*

A NEW BRAND.

A tall, lame negro had been in the habit of calling at a grocery and begging a few potatoes, a bit of codfish, or anything else likely to be given to him. One day the grocer took a flour-sack and made up a mixture of sand, and when the negro came around he was almost pulverized to hear the grocer say:

"Now, Sam, if you won't come here again for three months you can shoulder that sack and take it home."

"Am you in airnest, boss?"

"Yes, I mean what I say."

"Wall, I reckon I'd better cotch on to dat chance, an' may de Lawd bress you fur a hun'red y'ars to come!"

He shouldered the sack and walked off, and was not seen again for three days. Then he entered the store with the remark:

"Say, boss, I didn't mean to come back, only I want to ax a queshun."

"Go ahead."

"It's about that flour you gin me. De ole woman an' me doan't take de same view of it. I hold dat it am a new a new way of grindin' up wheat, an' she says it am a new process fur usin' up gravel banks. Kin you frow any light on de subjick?"

"It is a new brand of my own," replied the grocer. "The wheat was raised on sandy soil. Can you recommend it?"

"I reckon—not 'zactly, sah, but if you could change wid me fur a peck of beans raised on a side-hill, an' put de ole trees, and' stumps, an' stones in one bag an' de beans in anoder, it would save a heap of argyment in de family."—*Detroit Free Press.*

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FARM NOTES.

CORN IN DRILLS.—The advantage of drill planting over hill planting are: Larger yield per acre, better quality of corn, fewer short ears and a great saving in time and labor. Put one kernel in a place, from fifteen to eighteen inches apart in the drill.

MUCK.—Muck is cooling to the soil in summer and warming in winter; it collects moisture and retains it; it aerates the earth, is a reservoir of ammonia and other elements of plant food, not the least of which are its crumbling shells and fragments of petrifactions.

TOO MUCH SEED.—The experiments of enterprising and intelligent farmers go to prove that too much seed is generally used in raising potatoes. One, or at most two, eyes to the hill have given the best results. The commercial fertilizers generally give smoother and sounder tubers than barnyard manure.

SCAB IN SHEEP.—Mix a little sulphur with the salt when salting sheep that are ailing with the scab. Dipping the sheep in a decoction of tobacco is one of the best remedies, beside giving the skin a healthy action and insuring a nice white fleece. After dipping the animal, rub thoroughly with a woolen rag. Dip three times at intervals of a week.

WASHING PIGS.—Frequent washing with soap-suds, says Col. F. D. Curtis, in the *Rural New Yorker*, does pigs a great deal of good, and should always be practiced if they get dirty. Young pigs will never thrive well in a filthy pen. If the dam is unclean, the pigs are liable, when suckling, to get sore about the head and around their mouths, which will stunt them. When this is the case they should be thoroughly washed and oiled.

DUST BATH FOR FOWLS.—Get ready a dust bath for the fowls in some bright, sunny place. If it can be put under a shed with a southern exposure, where the sun will fall on it a part of the day and where it will be shielded from the rain, so much the better. Road dust and sifted coal ashes, with a plentiful sprinkling of sulphur, is the best. Never use wood ashes. Do not spread it about, but mound it up. The hens will soon scatter it.

PEARS.—An Eastern subscriber asks for a list of eight or ten of the best varieties of this fruit. For profit or home use perhaps the following will give the best satisfaction: Louise Bonne, Lawrence, Duchesse l'Angouleme, Sheldon, Bartlett, Beurre d'Anjou, Urbaniste and Beurre Hardey. The Lawrence and Duchesse are fall varieties. The Vicar, which is only a baking pear, is the only winter pear worth naming.—*New York Herald.*

COTTONSEED MEAL.—This is a rich food and must be used sparingly. Being a concentrated food it should be fed in connection with grass or roots, but never with dry fodder. For pigs mix a peck of the meal with a barrel of slops and give one feed of it every day. Horses may have two pounds daily with corn meal: that quantity being considered equal to ten pounds of oats. Milch cows should not have more than two pounds daily, while for calves from two to four ounces are sufficient.

TOBACCO STALKS.—Tobacco stalks should be saved, but should not be allowed to dry before being covered up with manure or muck. Before being covered it is best to cut them into short pieces, then put a layer of muck or manure on the ground about six inches thick, then a layer of stalks about the same thickness, continuing this method until all the stalks are used. They will soon begin to ferment and rot, and the result will be that from an acre of tobacco you will get a cord of the best kind of manure.

STRAWBERRIES.—A London gardener planted a strawberry bed four feet wide across his garden, on one side of which potatoes were planted. These were dug up about the end of June, the ground leveled and raked smooth, so that the runners established themselves and formed a new bed. The next season a similar process was pursued, and thus a moveable strawberry bed was created. At the end of three years the original plants were exhausted and dug up, though the bed annually grows wider without renewal or transplanting.

Roses.

By standard or tree roses is meant a rose, usually a remontant, budded at the top of a brier four to eight feet high. They seem to be very attractive to our amateurs. Large numbers being imported every year and sold at auction at very high prices. It is probably their unusual appearance that makes them popular with those who do not know that they are almost as unsuited to our climate as are bananas and pineapples, for it is very rarely that they give a second bloom. As a whole, these standard or tree roses may be regarded as utterly unsuited to our climate. If those who buy them at the sales this spring will be satisfied with one year's bloom as a return for the price, very well: for they can expect in ordinary culture but little more. But why try to cultivate these tree roses when pillar roses are readily grown and—to persons who do not seek for the odd and unusual—vastly more beautiful. Any vigorous rose, even the climbers, such as queen of the prairie, may be grown in this form, with vigorous pruning, but usually the remontants (hybrid perpetuals, so called) are selected. The stake, one of durable wood, or of iron, being set in the ground, the rose is planted close to it. For its subsequent training one must have some knowledge of the principles of pruning; the upward growth must be encouraged, but not allowed to interfere with the formation of side branches. Another form of the pyramid rose is to set a strong stake in the center and train four or six roses, planted in a circle around it, to wires leading from strong pegs set in the ground to the top of the stake. Either of these methods is possible in our climate, and gives results more beautiful and satisfactory than the tree roses.—*American Agriculturist.*

"Now we are nicely settled," exclaimed the happy new little wife, "if we only had a cow, Harry, we could have a nice, soft bed." "Cow?" asked the poor husband; "goose you mean—geese yield feathers; you know, Mollie—geese, not cows." "Yes," said Mollie, with a twinkle, "but cows give down, don't they, you simpleton?" He uttered a snort of defiance, and went out to chop some wood.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

ROMAN PUNCH.—Two quarts of cold water, one of Madeira wine, half a pint of brandy, the juice of six lemons and two quarts of sugar. This is very hard to freeze. In winter use snow instead of ice.

MARCIA CAKE.—One cup of butter, two of sugar, four eggs, one wineglass of champagne, half a teaspoonful of saleratus, and flour enough to put out with the hand. Make into small flat cakes, and bake in a quick oven.

A HINT FOR THE DRESSING OF FOWL.—If you wish to give a delicate and yet distinct onion flavor to the fowl, boil the onion till tender, changing the water twice; then chop it in very small bits, just as if it were raw. Roast goose or wild duck gain to most palates by having the dressing thus flavored.

STUFFED TOMATOES.—Stuffed tomatoes make a delicious entree. Choose half a dozen tomatoes of as nearly the same size as possible; cut off the top, and take out carefully with a silver spoon the insides; rub the pulp through a sieve; then add to it, stirring vigorously, two large spoonfuls of bread crumbs, a little mixed butter, and pepper and salt to your taste. fill the tomatoes with this, put on the covers, and bake in a moderate oven. Bake on an earthen pie plate or pudding dish.

VANILLA JUMBLES.—One cup of butter, two of sugar, three eggs, one wineglass of wine, one spoonful of vanilla, and flour enough to roll out. Roll as thin as the blade of a knife, and cut on an oval cutter. Bake on tin sheets, in a quick oven, until a dark brown. These will keep a year, if kept in a tin box and in a dry place.

SAUCE FOR MEAT.—Delicious sauce for meats is made in this way: Slice a large onion, and fry in butter until brown, then cover the onion with rich brown gravy, which is left from roast beef, add mustard, salt and pepper, and if you choose a tablespoonful of Worcestershire sauce; let this boil up, and if too thick thin it with a little stock or gravy, or even a little hot water or butter. Pour this when done through a fine sieve. Of course a larger quantity can be prepared at once than is mentioned here.

AN ALMOND SPONGE CAKE.—An almond sponge cake may be a novelty to some one. It is certainly a very delicate and nicely-flavored cake. Half a pound of sugar, five eggs; beat the yolks first and add the sugar to them gradually, then beat the whites to a stiff froth and add; then stir in flour enough to make a batter of medium thickness, flavor with almond extract, and, before putting it in the tin, butter a paper well and line the tin, and on the bottom put at intervals bits of almond, which you have blanched by pouring boiling water over, after removing the brown skins cut in small pieces, then pour the batter over till the tin is about half full. Bake for an hour in a slow oven.

BAKED MUSHROOMS.—The mushrooms are nicely prepared, and part of their gills scraped away so as to make them somewhat hollow; this mushroom material is mixed either with some sausage meat or a concoction of minced tongue or ham, and a few bread crumbs and butter. Each mushroom is filled with this stuffing and gently cooked in the oven in a covered dish with a little piece of butter. Whilst cooking, small circles of toast, well buttered, are prepared, and a mushroom neatly placed on each. They are served on a hot dish and are excellent. One cook says the mushrooms are best cooked first alone, and then filled with the sausage mixture, also by itself, but this can be tried. The idea is Parisian, and can be experimented with; the result is delicious.

The Man with the Umbrella.

Why it is that the public do not look kindly upon a man carrying an umbrella in a fine day is a mystery to be solved, but the fact is they do not, and that not one man in a hundred has the moral courage to carry one. Yesterday, when an eminent and dignified citizen, coming back from his dinner, turned into Grisscold street with an umbrella over his head he was accosted with:

"Been raining down your way?"

"No, sir!"

"Going to?"

"No, sir!"

"Then you carry the umbrella to keep the flies off?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, that's a good plan, and all sensible people ought to practice it."

The next man had a grin on his face as he called out:

"What's that for?"

"To keep the sun off."

"What do you want to keep the sun off for?"

"Might get sunstruck."

"Suppose you can?"

"Suppose you mind your own business, sir."

The next one pessimized upon his long friendship to hail the man with the umbrella and whisper:

"Pretty shaky in you, old fellow; keep the shades down or your creditors and their men'll see you."

Other men told him that wearing a poultice on the head would dispense with the umbrella, and others said if he was afraid his ears being tanned he should get a fan on each side of his hat. Not one single man took him by the hand and encouraged him, and when he reached his office he was so discouraged that he lowered his shade, and used it to punch the ribs of a boy who had begun to sing:

He's a jolly good fellow,
He's a jolly good fellow,
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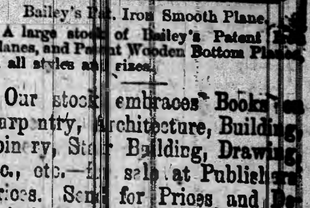

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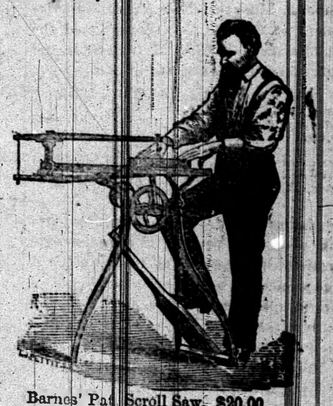

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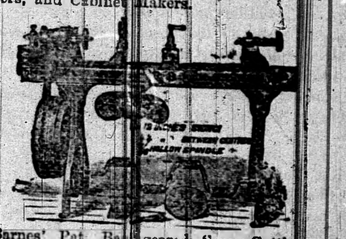

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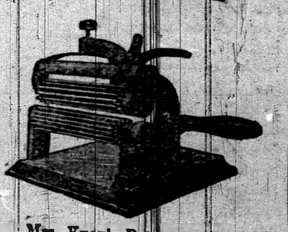

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